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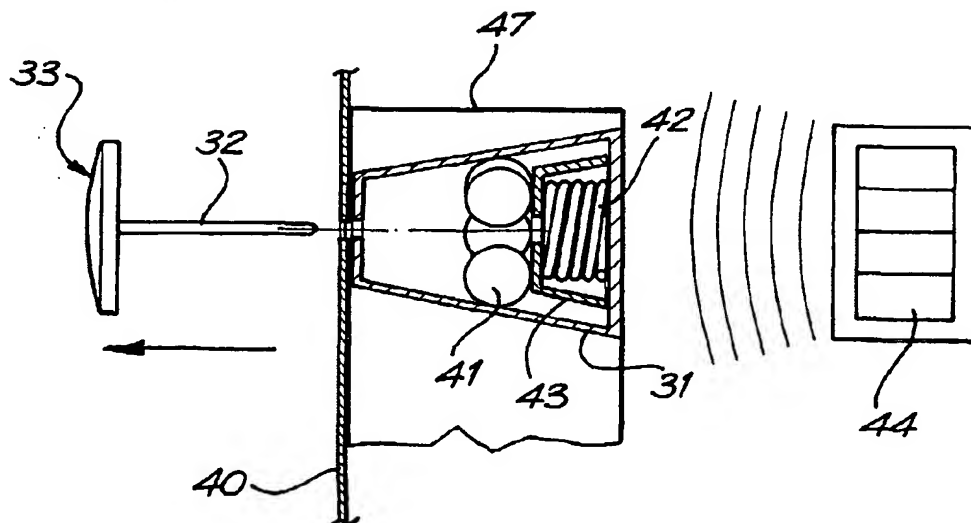
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(57) Abstract: A mechanism for attaching a component, such as a speech processor unit (29) of a cochlear implant, to the clothing (40) of a user of that component. The attaching mechanism is operable by an unlocking device, such as a magnet (44), that can be held in the possession of a person other than the person wearing the clothing (40) to which the component is mounted. The attachment device can comprise an elongate pin member (33) that is adapted to pass through at least a portion of an item of clothing (40) and be received in a chamber (38) and held by frictional engagement therein.

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